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## EX-QUEEN SEES M'KINLEY

TARIFF BILL PASSES AND CON-  
GRESS ADJOURNS.

Significant Defeat of Prussian Gov-  
ernment on a Repression Bill  
—The World's News.

### UNITED STATES.

President McKinley takes a vacation at Lake Champlain.

The Hawaiian opera, "Captain Cook," has come to grief in New York owing to small business.

But few of the West Virginia miners have joined the strike. In the Pittsburg district at last accounts all hopes centered in the arbitration conference.

The British Government has again declined to interfere in the sentence of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, in whose behalf Ambassador Hay had made a fresh appeal.

Otto Munchmeyer, United States Consul at San Salvador, has committed suicide. He succeeded his father, who died in 1895. The family belongs to Parkersburg, West Virginia.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani has returned to Washington, where she has had a short interview with the President. He said that Mrs. McKinley's health alone prevented her from meeting Liliuokalani. Julius Palmer and Joseph Heleluhe, the ex-Queen's attendants, left a bundle of papers with an official to give to the President. They are supposed to be memorials from patriotic societies of Hawaii.

Captain W. L. Merry, the Minister to Nicaragua, has gone to Washington to answer charges at the State Department which have been made since his appointment was confirmed by the Senate. His friends think the charges do not amount to much.

The Secretary of the Treasury gave a ruling that the new tariff was operative as to all customs business of July 24, the day the President signed the bill. Many protests were filed by importers at New York. Three steamers that day brought goods to that port, the duties on which under the new tariff amounted to \$900,000, instead of \$600,000 as would have been under the Wilson law.

Frank M. Reed, an Indiana man, seeks a patent on an invention for the use of oil as fuel in steamers. It is gas generation from oil. The gas is generated by an atomizing plant, is smokeless and capable of one-tenth more heat than the Russians get, or 33 per cent more heat than the Government is now getting from coal, making it possible to work up to greater speed. By this system it is claimed a warship like the Indiana could carry enough fuel to last for a trip round the world.

A glucose trust is reported forming with a capital of \$40,000,000, to control the entire output of the United States. The quantity is over a billion and a quarter pounds, and involves the consumption annually of 31,000,000 bushels of corn.

The market price of bar silver reached low water mark at New York on July 26. Government assay bars were quoted at 59 cents, which made the silver in a standard silver dollar worth 45.63 cents, as against 45.70 cents in 1894. The market opened at 59 1/2 an ounce and later declined to 58 1/2.

Among nominations of the President refused confirmation by the Senate was that of T. V. Powderly of Pennsylvania, to be Commissioner of Immigration. District Assembly No. 49 of the Knights of Labor at New York passed strong resolutions condemning the nomination of T. V. Powderly as Commissioner of Immigration. The Senate was commended for not confirming the appointment. Powderly was denounced as renegade and traitor for turning to gold after speaking for years in favor of free silver.

Judge Thomas M. Cooley is very low.

Delegate Marcus Aurelius Smith of Arizona has no hope that his Territory will be admitted as a State.

The tariff bill passed its last legislative stage at 3 p. m., July 24, when the Senate by a vote of 40 to 30 agreed to the conference report. Thirty seven of the ayes were by Republicans. President McKinley signed the bill the same day. Congress adjourned its special session at 9 o'clock that evening.

Anthony Nash, of Port Townsend, a veteran gambler of the Northwest, received for \$5000 the privilege of plying his vocation on one round trip of the steamer Portland, carrying people to and from the Yukon gold fields. The action of the steamer company is generally condemned. It is expected the Portland will bring miners back with \$2,000,000, and Nash counts on making a good percentage from them.

### EUROPE.

The Queen Regent of Spain will receive Mr. Taylor, the retiring Minister, and Mr. Woodford, the new Minister of the United States, at San Sebastian. She does not usually hold court there, and the reception is an unprecedented act of courtesy for which the Duke of Tetuan is credited.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone on July 25 celebrated the 58th anniversary of their marriage, both being in excellent health.

The French Government will not be represented at the unveiling of the national monument at Sedan, to the memory of the French soldiers who fell in the Franco Prussian war. As the Government contributed to the cost of the monument and promised that the Ministry of Commerce should inaugurate it and as the reason for the decision is given as "considerations of a high order," it is believed to be due to the rapprochement between France and Germany, and the talk of the latter's restoring Metz.

While the Queen Regent Christiana and King Alfonso were walking in the woods at San Sebastian a heavy load of shot discharged by a youth, who was out bird shooting and who had not noticed their presence, passed close to their heads.

The Embassadors have presented the peace preliminaries drafted by the powers, which provide for European arbitration of any differences that may arise between the Greek and Turkish plenipotentiaries in arranging a definite treaty. The desire of Germany to institute European control of Greek finances still hampers the settlement of the indemnity question.

The lower house of the Prussian Diet has defeated the Government bill relating to the law of associations. As there is not a Socialist in the house, the defeat is the more significant. Exulting comments are made by the London press, one paper saying the Germans will not allow themselves to be treated like Russians or Turks.

The late Lord Randolph Churchill's eldest son will run for Parliament the first opportunity.

Lady Henry Somerset has resigned the presidency of the British Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Her reason is the refusal of the local associations to be governed by her request made in a circular, that they should not approve or sign petitions to Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India, against the renewal of the contagious diseases act for India.

### COLONIAL SCHEMES FAIL.

The London Standard publishes a long account of the principal conference between Mr. Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, and the Colonial Premiers which confirms the dispatch already sent out and in addition announces the abandonment of the Pacific cable scheme.

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## WILL STAND NO NONSENSE

M'KINLEY PREPARED TO DEAL  
WITH JAPANESE IN HAWAII.

Belief That the Offer by Hawaii to  
Arbitrate Has Been Accepted  
at Tokio.

New York, July 24.—A Herald's Washington special says: A high official of the administration said today that at the first sign of an increase of the force of the Japanese in Hawaiian waters the administration would dispatch the Oregon and probably the Monterey to the islands to support the Philadelphia and Bennington. The Administration will stand no nonsense, and Rear-Admiral Miller's instructions contemplate the carrying out of its policy, no matter what the result may be. From statements now made in naval circles it seems that the Oregon is to be kept at San Francisco to be ready to proceed to Hawaii.

Naval officers say that the presence of the Oregon at Honolulu would inspire respect in the Japanese, which diplomatic talk could never create.

Washington, July 24.—Though no official advice has been received at either the State Department or the Japanese Legation here confirmatory of the report that Japan has agreed to the proposal of the Hawaiian Government to arbitrate the questions at issue between the two Governments, it is not doubted that this is the fact. Such unofficial information as has come to hand showing that the proffer was made and was under consideration all tends to warrant the belief that this satisfactory outcome of the affair has been arranged, though there is no means of knowing as yet what will be the nature of the machinery of the arbitration nor the exact amounts and issues involved.

The story coming from Paris to the effect that Germany has lodged a protest with our Government against the annexation of the Hawaiian islands, it is said at the State Department, has just this measure of truth in it—that the German Government did propose a joint control of the islands many years ago, and that the proposition was promptly declined by the United States without having led to any subsequent proceedings or a renewal of the offer.

While the Senate was in executive session today Senator Morgan suggested the importance of taking up and disposing of the Hawaiian annexation treaty before final adjournment of this session, but the suggestion was met by a motion of Aldrich to resume executive business, which prevailed without opposition.

Morgan did not make a speech, but he suggested that events of importance might transpire before another session of Congress which would cause the Senate to regret its action.

The Alabama Senator's suggestion was not seconded from any source, and the indisposition of the Senate to consider the matter was made so apparent that Morgan did not press it. The understanding is that the treaty will be taken up immediately on the convening of Congress next December.

### "Lena, the Madcap."

"Lena, the Madcap," will be played at the Opera House this evening by Katie Putnam and her company. The play is full of comedy. Incidentally, Miss Putnam will play the banjo and will sing several new songs. "My Kentucky Babe" will be repeated by request. A Spanish waltz song and dance will be a feature of this evening's performance.

The crew of a Portuguese gunboat has been massacred near Chinde on the Zambezi river.

## W A KINNEY INTERVIEWED

TALKS OF THE PROSPECTS OF  
ANNEXATION.

Senators Already Preparing for the  
Coming Debate—An Historical  
Pen for McKinley.

W. A. Kinney, one of the special Commissioners of the Hawaiian Government to negotiate a treaty of annexation with the United States, returned on the Dorie yesterday, direct from Salt Lake where he has been in attendance at the Transmississippi convention. While up to his eyes in legal business that has accumulated in his absence, Mr. Kinney found time to talk with a BULLETIN representative this morning for a few minutes.

Replying to a question on the prospects of annexation, Mr. Kinney said:

"The outlook is most favorable and while annexation is not yet accomplished we have every reason to believe that it will be next December. The matter will be one of the first to be brought up in the Senate. That is generally agreed on and you may expect the debate on Hawaiian annexation to be well on before the Senate has been in session ten days. Senators even now are gathering data to be used in their speeches. As to how long the debate will last no one can tell, but we have every assurance that the treaty will finally pass."

"I wish you would state to correct a false impression," continued Mr. Kinney, "that throughout the entire discussion on the subject I have never heard it intimated anywhere that there would be any discrimination against the Hawaiian race, politically or otherwise. The annexation sentiment is growing in the United States and the feeling everywhere seems to be with us. Every mention of the subject met with loud applause at the Transmississippi convention at Salt Lake, at which Mr. Thurston and myself were present."

"I cannot give you any later news from Washington than you have in the papers because I came direct from Salt Lake. I can tell you, however, that Minister Hatch will arrive here on the Alameda on the 26th and that Mr. Thurston has returned to Washington to remain until Congress reconvenes."

"You have read all about the signing of the treaty in which I had the honor to take part and remember that the Hawaiian Commissioners provided a new gold pen to be used in signing it. Well, we had an object in that. We have since had made a beautiful gold penholder in the shape of an old quill pen, in the point of which was placed the gold pen used in signing the treaty. On the top of the quill we had engraved the words: 'Hawaii, Key to the North Pacific,' and under the feathery portion Seward's famous prediction made nearly half a century ago in regard to the purchase of Alaska. 'The Pacific Ocean, its shores and islands and the vast regions beyond will be the chief theater of events in the world's great hereafter.' Not so many years ago Father Damon used to print that prediction at the head of The Friend and already its fulfillment is at hand."

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## IN THE HIGHER COURTS

PRELIMINARIES GO AGAINST THE  
TWO HILO LAWYERS.

Work of Hawaiian Jury Promise  
of Reform-Petition in  
Bankruptcy.

L. B. Kerr has begun proceedings in bankruptcy against S. Ahmi of Kahului for indebtedness of \$615.48. Summons is returned as served by Sheriff Baldwin of Maui.

A verdict of not guilty was rendered by the Hawaiian jury in the case of Pikelilii tried for assault and battery yesterday.

Jack Man was then put on trial for burglary by the following native jury: J. W. Mahelona, Isaac Harbottle, S. Stone, J. Padaken, Dibble K. Eli, H. P. Paulo, J. D. Holt Jr., T. P. Cummings, J. Rosa, J. Crowell, W. C. Elia and W. H. Pahiuni. Deputy Attorney General E. P. Dole prosecuted, and S. K. Kane was assigned by the Court for the defense. Shortly before 2 p. m. today the jury retired to consider their verdict, and returned one of guilty, three dissenting.

Before Judge Perry three appeals for mitigation of sentence by Wm. Crewes, drunkenness, were heard. The Attorney General for the prosecution asked for a minimum penalty in each case, while the defendant promised never to touch liquor again. Sentences of the lower court were confirmed, respectively a fine of \$5 with costs and imprisonment for terms of fifteen and twenty days, each penalty to take effect upon the expiration of any former sentence.

On the information for misconduct against Francis M. Wakefield and William S. Wise, attorneys at law, the Supreme Court has rendered a decision, overruling the respondents' motion to expunge certain portions of the information and likewise the demurrer. This will bring the matter up again on the merits. Attorney General W. O. Smith for the information; A. S. Hartwell and Paul Neumann for the respondents.

The big Atlantic steamships Paris, Umbria and La Touraine all arrived at New York a few minutes too late to enter their cargoes under the old tariff law. The same experience befell the Pacific Mail steamship China at San Francisco.

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